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RE: Application No. 10/713,825
In re application of: Xu Zuo, et al.
Assignee: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC
Dkt. No.: STL11497

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In re application of: Xu Zuo and Xiaohong Sun
Assignee: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC
Application No.: 10/713,825 Group No.: 2652
Filed: November 14, 2003 Examiner: Allen Cao
For: ACTUATOR ASSEMBLY INCLUDING AN ACTUATOR BODY DAMPING ASSEMBLY

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	24	- 24	= 0	x \$ 50.00	= \$	0.00	
INDEP.	4	- 4	= 0	x \$ 200.00	= \$	0.00	
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				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$	0.00	

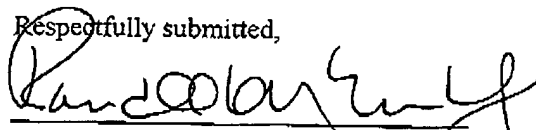
No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT MAILED
NOVEMBER 11, 2006

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 11, 2006 for the above identified U.S. patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.

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